

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111
U.S. Application No. 09/765,378

Claim 1
an error correcting portion for correcting the error, which is detected by said error
detecting portion, by using the other demodulated data.

2. (Amended) The magnetic card reader according to claim 1, wherein said error
correcting portion corrects errors, which occur in the demodulated data, character by character.

3. (Amended) The magnetic card reader according to claim 2, wherein said error
detecting portion detects whether or not a parity of the modulated data corresponding to each
character is correct.
